

- Belmont Energy Committee Meeting Minutes – 01/13/2011
- Attendees: Jan Kruse
- Anthony Alcorn
- Ian Todreas
- Chris McVay
- Roger Colton
- Glenn Clancy
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- Roger called the meeting to order at 8:15 PM, later than usual while waiting for a late arrival to make a quorum.
- The minutes for the 11/17/10 and 12/16/10 Belmont Energy Committee meetings were reviewed, corrected and accepted.
- Roger then led the discussion on steps to take to gain support for the tree preservation by-law and the Stretch code initiatives. Jan related that we should attempt to meet with the BOS in early March. Roger related that the tree preservation by-law and the Stretch Code proposals should be reviewed by town council and the Warrant Committee. Jan had arranged for a presentation to the Conservation Commission on Feb 1 and the Vision Committee on Feb 10. It was agreed that Roger will speak to the Con Com about the tree preservation by-law only and Jan will speak to the Vision Committee on both initiatives. Also that documents be sent to each group ahead of the meetings
- Roger will contact Tom Younger about the BOS meeting. It was agreed that the tree by-law and the Stretch Code initiatives should involve two separate meetings with the BOS. It was agreed that Ian should attend the BOS meetings.
- There followed a discussion about a write up in the Belmont Patch and two separate Op Ed write ups for the tree by-law and Stretch Code initiatives for the Citizen Herald. Roger related that Erick Sebasian, Manager of the Urban Forestry Program, would do a write up for the Citizen Herald by late Feb/early March.
- Roger related that we should contact Joe DeStefano on the tree by-law and the Stretch Code initiatives for his feedback and possible support.
- Chris related that we should reach out to the Real Estate business community in a similar way, suggesting that Steve xxx at Century 1 would be a good candidate.
- The meeting was adjourned at 9:05 am.
- Submitted by Tony Alcorn, Recording Secretary
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